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trust by them appointed to inspect the said Causeway and value the same and make their report thereof

to the next Court &c

William Bowler appointed Overseer of the Roads in stead of Thomas Gordon &c

Upon the petition of M<sup>c</sup> Nathaniel Hopkins for to have some allowance for the keeping William Kent &c

It's Ordered by the Court that the Said Nathaniel Hopkins be allowed the sum of four hundred pounds  
of tobacco for the keeping of the Said William Kent from the second day of May last till this day and  
Likewise that the Said William Kent have his former allowance &c

Ordered by the Court that Matthew Dorman clear a road from the New Bridge Head Col. Wallards plantation  
at the head of manor, to the Bridge <sup>Manor</sup> and that he have Col. Wallards lands and James Law to assist in clearing  
of the said Road &c

Ordered by the Court that Charles Young be appointed Overseer of the Roads in stead of John Hopkinson  
and that M<sup>c</sup> John Hardy and M<sup>c</sup> James Dashell appoint him his Labourers &c

Robert Hill appointed by the Court as prefucaster for the County of Somerset for the ensuing year on  
the Sea Board Side of the said County &c

John Denwood appointed Prestmather in the County of Somerset on the Bay Side for the ensuing year

Benj<sup>d</sup> Shoverton bound to Benjamin Shoverton an English Boy is bound by the Court until Benjamin Come until  
he arrives to the age of twenty one years he being one year old the said Benjamin Shoverton  
is bound to serve the said Benjamin Come the full term of him aforesaid in consideration of which  
service the said Benjamin Come promises to teach the said Benjamin Shoverton the trade of  
a house Carpenter and to give him a good Schooling where he shall arrive to fifteen <sup>of age</sup> years, and a new Suite  
of apparel at the Expiration of his Servitude &c. Whereupon it is Ordered by the Court that the said  
Benjamin Come give Security in fifty pounds will on Security to comply with the covenants aforesaid &c.

Whereupon the said Benjamin Come together with James Bowes his Securitie present here in  
Court acknowledged themselves to owe and stand Justly indebted unto the said Benjamin Shoverton  
his heirs and a residue in the free and Just sum of fifty pounds Current money to be levied on the Body & Goods  
or Chattels, Lands or tenements to the use of the said Benjamin Shoverton in case the said Benjamin Come  
doth not comply with the covenants aforesaid &c

His Lordship agt to Somerset County Es<sup>t</sup>: The Jurors for the right Honourable the Lord Proprietary of this  
Province that now is <sup>upon their oaths</sup> for the Body of Somerset County do present that Mary Cavendish  
late of Steppeney parish in the County of Somerset at the twenty third day of May One  
thousand Seven hundred and twenty three with force of arms &c at Steppeney parish  
after within the County aforesaid within the Jurisdiction of this Court One hundred acres of land  
of value